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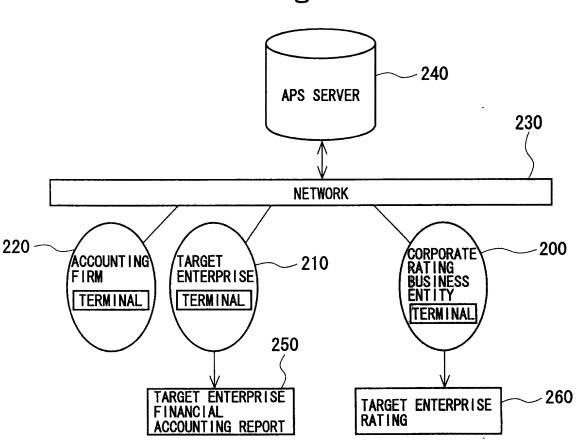
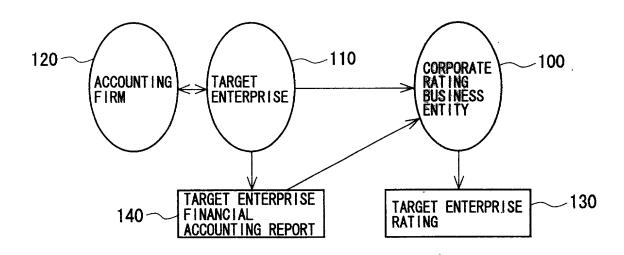
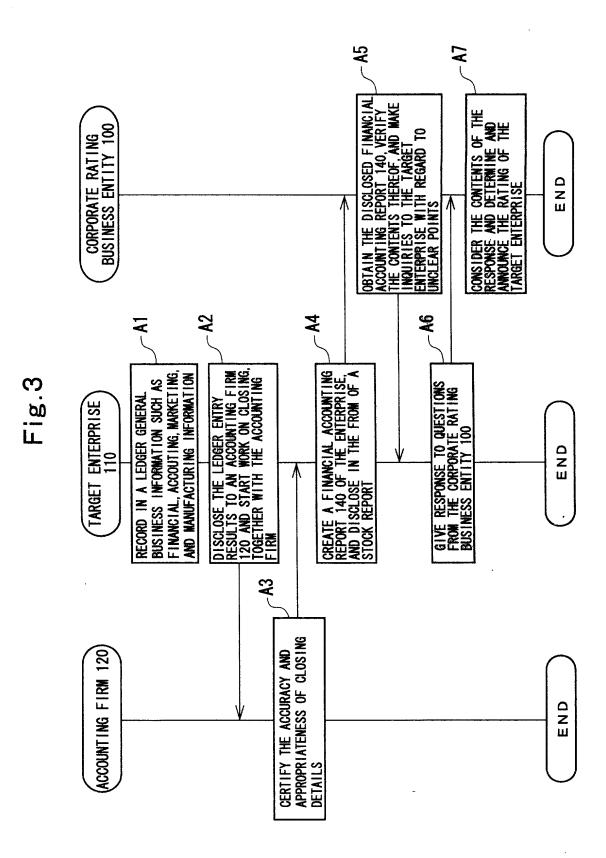


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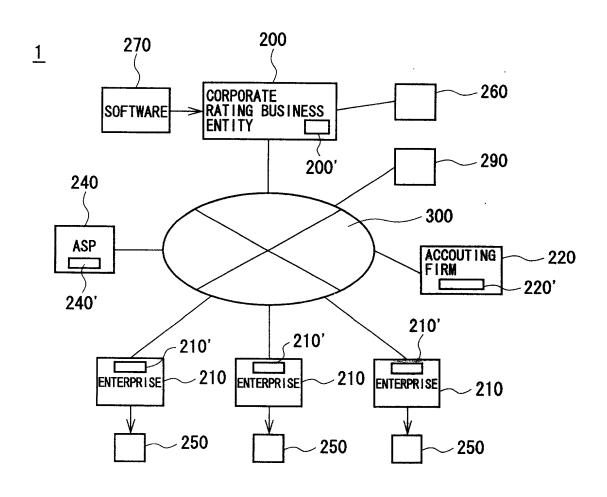


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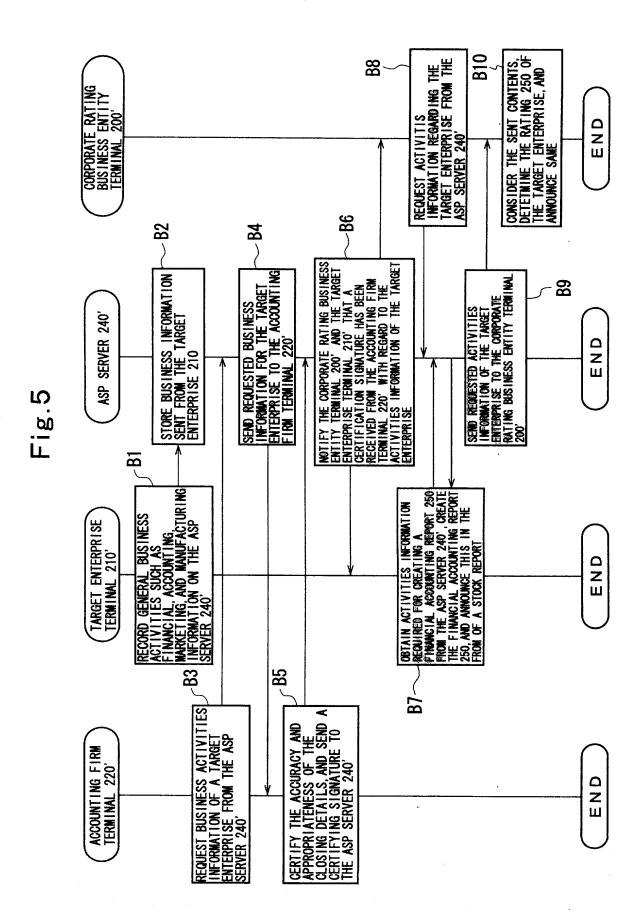


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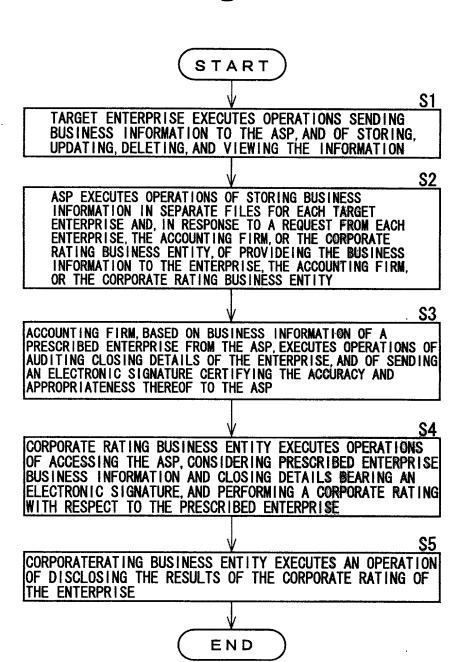
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Fig.7

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TARGET ENTERPRISE EXECUTES OPERATIONS OF SENDING BUSINESS INFORMATION TO THE ASP, AND OF STORING, UPDATING, DELETING, AND VIEWING THE INFORMATION

S2a

ACCOUNTING FIRM EXECUTES THE OPERATIONS OF REQUESTING BUSINESS INFORMATION REGARDING A PRESCRIBED TARGET ENTERPRISE FROM THE ASP

S3a

ASP, INRESPONSE TO THE REQUEST FROM THE ACCOUNTING FIRM, EXECUTES THE OPERATION OF SENDING THE PRESCRIBED ENTERPRISE BUSINESS INFORMATION TO THE ACCOUNTING FIRM

S4a

ACCOUNTING FIRM, BASED ON BUSINESS INFORMATION OF THE PRESCRIBED ENTERPRISE PROVIDED BY THE ASP, EXECUTES THE OPERATIONS OF AUDITING CLOSING DETAILS OF THE ENTERPRISE, AND OF SENDING AN ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE CERTIFYING THE ACCURACY AND APPROPRIATENESS THEREOF TO THE ASP

S5a

IF IT RECEIVES AN ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE FROM THE ACCOUNTING FIRM, THE ASP EXECUTES THE OPERATION OF NOTIFYNG THE PRESCRIBED TARGET ENTERPRISE AND THE CORPORATE RATING BUSINESS ENTITY OF THE THIS FACT

S6a

CORPORATE RATING BUSINESS ENTITY, BASED ON NOTIFICATION OF RECEIVING THE ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE FROM THE ASP, EXECUTES THE OPERATION REQUESTING FROM THE ASP BUSINESS INFORMATION FOR THE PRESCRIBED ENTERPRISE FROM BUSINESS INFORMATION THAT THE ASP STORES SEPARATELY FOR EACH ENTERPRISE

S7a

ASP, IN RESPONSE TO THE REQUEST FROM THE CORPORATE RATING BUSINESS ENTITY, EXECUTES THE OPERATION OF SENING TO THE CORPORATE RATING BUSINESS ENTITY BUSINESS INFORMATION REGARDING THE PRESCRIBED ENTERPRISE

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CORPORATE RATING BUSINESS ENTITY EXECUTES THE OPERATIONS OF CONSIDERING PRESCRIBED ENTERPRISE BUSINESS INFORMATION AND CLOSING DETAILS BEARIG AN ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE, AND PERFORMING A CORPORATE RATING WITH RESPECT TO THE PRESCRIBED ENTERPRISE

S9a

CORPORATE RATING BUSINESS ENTITY EXECUTES AN OPERATION OF DISCLOSING THE RESULTS OF THE CORPORATE RATING OF THE ENTERPRISE

